

SOCIETY

Yellow Shower Teas.

There are several lovely golden shower trees in Honolulu where ladies gather on warm afternoons for a hospitable cup of tea and a friendly chat. The trees have been exceptionally beautiful lately—one great yellow mass above while the ground beneath has been paved with gold.

Among the hostesses who have been making use of their trees in this manner are Mrs. Sanford B. Dole and Mrs. W. M. Graham, many pleasant afternoons being spent in their gardens.

Mrs. Newcomb's Afternoon.

For a number of her friends who considered it too strenuous to dance and too warm to play cards, Mrs. Sara Newcomb devised a very delightful and original manner of spending the afternoon on last Tuesday. Each guest was forewarned and came prepared to do her part towards the afternoon's entertainment, with the result that the little group enjoyed a very excellent program.

The affair was given in honor of Mrs. F. M. Hinkel, who is a poetess of considerable ability, several of her poems having occurred in recent numbers of the current magazines. On Tuesday afternoon those present had the pleasure of hearing three poetical gems from the pen of this gifted woman. Mrs. Charles Crane sang two exquisite songs, and Mrs. S. D. Barnes, who is a splendid musician, gave two piano solos. Mrs. Edward Dekum read one of McManis's charming Hawaiian poems in a very pleasing manner. Mrs. Renton Hind delighted her audience with several beautiful songs, and Mrs. H. T. Hayselden rendered two lovely piano solos. Mrs. Coombs told three Hawaiian legends which were intensely interesting, two being of the famous Iao valley while the third told of the ringing of the bell at Kawaiahae at half-past three.

The remainder of the afternoon was spent reading the first three chapters of Stephen Leacock's, "Behind the Beyond," a delightful satire on the problem play.

Later delicious refreshments were enjoyed, Miss Barrie Gamble assisting Mrs. Newcomb in serving. The rooms were filled with flowers of all varieties many of which were gifts of friends, and taken altogether the afternoon was a most enjoyable one.

Mrs. O'Brien Complimented.

Mrs. H. Bicknell was hostess at a delightful little luncheon on Thursday afternoon at her attractive home in College Hills, complimentary to her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. F. O'Brien, who is a guest in the city.

The table was beautifully decorated in yellow and green, lovely double corals and ferns being used to carry out the color scheme.

Those invited to be present were all old school friends of Mrs. O'Brien and a very pleasant afternoon was enjoyed.

Covers were placed for eight.

Engagement Announced.

Following is an account of an engagement recently announced in San Francisco which has aroused considerable interest in the army and navy sets:

The announcement of Miss Mario Whiting's engagement to Ensign James Harvey Taylor, U. S. N., has caused much interest in the smart set, where the attractive girl is very popular among the younger people.

Miss Whiting was to have made her debut last winter, but a serious illness prevented and she was for many weeks at Fabiola Hospital, her life being despaired of several times. So the debut was postponed until this winter, and now there will be a wedding instead of a coming-out ball.

During the past few years the Whiting family have lived in Berkeley. After Admiral Whiting's retirement from active duty they lived in the East or San Francisco, and finally decided on Berkeley as a permanent residing place and have built a pretty home there. The summers are spent at Brookdale, in the Santa Clara mountains, where they have a picturesque bungalow, and it was from there that Mrs. Whiting wrote to friends telling of her daughter's betrothal.

Ensign Taylor is attached to the U. S. S. Deuver. He is a member of a prominent family of Indiana and came to this coast soon after his graduation from Annapolis three years ago, and was first attached to the South Dakota. He met Miss Whiting two years ago at a dance at Mare Island and has been devoted to her ever since.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Mrs. Hunn Complimented.

Mrs. Chester J. Hunn was the motif for a most enjoyable beach party on Monday evening at the Outrigger Club given by Miss Georgia Armstrong, who was assisted by a number of the High School girls. A most refreshing bath was enjoyed in the high surf—one could scarcely say "swim" as the breakers were too high for anything but surfing. Later a delicious chowder supper was served on the club lanai.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Chester J. Hunn, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Giles, the Misses Clemence Gifford, Avis Fennell, Ethel Fennell, Abbie Lucas, Psyche Berry, Louise McCarthy, Pearl McCarthy, Virginia McCarthy, Margaret McCarthy, Claire Berry, Violet Lucas, Lillian Fennell, Lei Alana, Bessie Seybolt, Ruth Seybolt, Sybil



Miss Constance Simpson, whose engagement to Mr. John L. Ashley has been recently announced. The wedding will be an event of early November. —Photo by Perkins.

Carter, Gladys Traut, Abbie Bromley, Dolla Pennell, Dorothy Walker, Messrs. John Gifford, Sam Carter, Fred Carter, Gustave Bultentyn, Philip Kellerman, Albert Bush, Le Roy Bush, Martin Fennell, Oswald Lightfoot, Allen Podmore, Max Bolte, William Noble, Howard Johnstone, Chester Taylor, Campbell Crozier, Elmer Crozier, Bryan Girdler, George Bromley and Miss Armstrong.

Capt. and Mrs. Watkins' Supper. Captain and Mrs. Benjamin H. Watkins entertained informally at supper on last Sunday evening in their attractive quarters at Fort Shafter.

Those who were present at this delightful affair were Captain and Mrs. James E. Bell, Captain and Mrs. Robert McCleave, Chaplain and Mrs. O. J. W. Scott, Captain and Mrs. Joseph C. Kay, Lieut. and Mrs. T. C. Spencer, Lieut. and Robert R. Love, Lieut. and Mrs. Edgerly, Mrs. Boone, Lieut. and Mrs. Fred A. Cook, Lieut. and Mrs. Ira Longenecker, Lieut. and Mrs. L. R. Fredendall, Lieut. and Mrs. Cleveland C. Gee, Lieut. and Mrs. John R. D. Matteson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Morton Riggs and Lieut. and Mrs. Frederick A. Barker.

Beach Party. Mrs. C. A. Clark and Mrs. F. M. Hinkle were hostesses at a delightful beach party given at the Outrigger Club on Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Shupe, Miss Evans and Miss Richardson, who are the house guests of Mrs. F. W. Phisterer. After a refreshing swim, a delicious supper was enjoyed on the attractive club lanai.

Those present were Miss Shupe, Miss Evans, Miss Richardson, Mrs. F. W. Phisterer, Mrs. Phisterer, Sr., Dr. and Mrs. S. D. Barnes, Mrs. Sara Newcomb, Mrs. Gamble, Miss Barrie Gamble, Mrs. Fred A. Cook, Mrs. W. E. Ellis, Mrs. Edward Carpenter, Mrs. G. L. Hicks, Jr., Mrs. H. F. Nichols, Mrs. G. F. Humbert, Lieut. R. E. Guthrie, Captain and Mrs. C. A. Clark and Mrs. Hinkle.

Mrs. Wilder's Supper-Dance. Mrs. Gerrit Wilder was hostess at a delightful supper-dance on Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Elizabeth and Miss Rhoebe Carter. About fifty popular members of the younger set were present and the evening proved to be one of the most pleasant these busy people have enjoyed.

About half-past five o'clock, the guests indulged in a refreshing swim in the lovely blue pool, which is one of the attractions of this beautiful home. The cool plunge served to whet appetites too, and the delicious supper which followed was heartily enjoyed.

The house was exquisitely decorated in dainty pink, which seemed almost symbolic of the spirit of the happy young merry-makers. Great baskets filled with pink hibiscus were arranged artistically about the rooms, while numerous smaller clusters of the blooms in handsome vases, added their quota to the loveliness of the scene.

Later the sweet strains of music from a popular quintet drew the guests out on the lanai. The evening was ideal—cool and restful with the moon shining bright. Here on the

spacious moonlit lanai, dancing was indulged in for several delightful hours.

Society Personals

Miss Jessie Kennedy has gone to Maui for a short visit.

Miss Esther Kopke sailed for Maui on the Claudine last Monday.

Mrs. E. D. Tenney entertained a few friends at tennis on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Otto A. Bierbach left today for Hilo, where she will spend several weeks.

Mrs. H. B. Penhallow of Maui departed for the coast on the Lurline last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Merrill are spending the week-end at the W. R. Foster beach residence at Kahala.

Miss Eloise Wichman sailed on the Kinai last Tuesday for Kauai, where she expects to spend several weeks.

Miss Florence Ballou sailed on the Lurline, coast bound, on Tuesday. She is on her way east to enter college.

Miss Edna Eyrd, who has been the house guest of Mrs. George McEldowney for the past several weeks, is at present spending a short time on Maui.

Mrs. J. F. O'Brien is a visitor in the city, being the house guest of her mother, Mrs. Ellen Bicknell. Mrs. O'Brien is the sister of Dr. H. Bicknell, and has a great many friends in the islands.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester J. Hunn departed for the coast on the transport last Thursday en route to Porto Rico, where they will make their home. Mr. Hunn having accepted a position in the University of Porto Rico.

Mr. and Mrs. Clive Davies accompanied by their eldest daughter, Muriel, departed for the coast on Tuesday in the hope that they may get through to England to join their younger children, who remained in their English home when Mr. and Mrs. Davies left for the islands.

Miss Orpah Starratt and Miss Evelyn Scott have returned from a four-weeks' trip on Hawaii and Maui. They took an active part in the gay festivities with which Hilo is busy, besides visiting the volcano. While on Maui they were the house guests of Miss Irene Aiken at her home in Kahului.

A recent letter states that Mrs. M. M. Macomb, with her father and mother, is motoring from Newport, Rhode Island, to Woodstock, Vermont, where they will spend a part of the summer. The many friends of General and Mrs. Macomb will be glad to know that they are in good health.

Miss Frances and Miss Addie Murphy, who arrived recently from the

CALLING DAYS FOR HONOLULU

Mondays—Punahou, Makiki.
Tuesdays—Waikiki, Kapiolani Park, Kaimuki, Palolo. First Tuesday—Fort Ruger.

Wednesdays—Nuuanu, Puunui, Pacific Heights. First and third Wednesdays, a b o v e Nuuanu bridge; second and fourth Wednesdays, below bridge; fourth Wednesdays, Pacific Heights; first and third Wednesdays, Alewa Heights.

Thursdays—The Plains.

Fridays—Hotels and town, fourth Friday, Fort Shafter, first Friday.

Saturdays—College Hills, first and third Friday.

Sundays—Kalihl, third and fourth Saturdays; Kamehameha Schools, last Saturday.

Fort Shafter—Calling day every Friday.

Note—The telephone number of the Society Editor is 4075.

Orient to spend a few days in Honolulu, have sailed for their home in Helena, Montana.

These charming women have formed a decided fondness for Honolulu during their several visits to the islands, and expect to take a house here for the winter.

Stewart Edward White, the author, with Mrs. White, has left Santa Barbara, Cal., to spend some weeks in his attractive cottage near the aspen grove which is one of the loveliest spots surrounding the Lake Tahoe tavern.

They have as guests James R. H. Wagner, president of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. Wagner.

Mrs. B. Grant entertained at a surprise party on Sunday evening, celebrating her husband's thirty-third birthday. Those present were Mrs. J. Lindsey, Mrs. Page, Mrs. Cross, Mrs. Wells, Messrs. James E. Mosley, Lyles, Turner, Jenkins, Cloudy, Mitchell, Crowell, Sims, Williamson, Wells, Gilhooly, Parker, Matheus, James, Ware, Mitchell, Cross, Flynn and Mr. and Mrs. Grant.

HILO SOCIETY NOTES

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence] HILO, Aug. 7.—"The grass- (?) bachelors and some grass-widowers of Hilo town request the pleasure of your company at a shirt waist dance Saturday evening, August 8, 1914, at the Hilo hotel at 8:30 o'clock."

This is the invitation, printed on coarse brown wrapping paper, that has been sent out to several hundred persons of Hilo the last week. Evidently the dance as well as these invitations is to be rather unique and it is regarded as certain that the hotel dancing floor will be filled to capacity on the auspicious occasion tomorrow evening.

One reason for this—and which certainly will make the party unusual—is that the boys have unofficially announced there will be no "wall flowers." Every man and woman who attends will be literally compelled to get out on the floor, and "chances is," as Uncle Fuller used to say, that the two-step and the waltz will be taboo. If you haven't learned the one-step, the hesitation, tango or maxixe you'll be required to begin your tepid education at that time. Taken all in all, it promises to be a very gay and festive affair, unconfined by banal formality and unlimited as to length.

There has been some serious discussion among the bachelors on two points: Whether the ladies should be restricted to shirt-waist attire and whether the party should be declared at an end at midnight or at daylight the following morning. The grass-widowers eventually won the first point and the wisdom of experience prevailed—the ladies may wear any attire they think proper—which they would do anyhow. The second is not definitely settled yet, though circumstances will guide the bachelors in this. They stand ready to keep the orchestra playing until dawn and to do their own share by dancing every dance until daylight; but the party will break up when their guests are exhausted and ready to quit.

SCHOFIELD SOCIETY

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence] SCHOFIELD BARRACKS, Aug. 8.—Mrs. Herschel Tupes and Mrs. Joseph Daly were the guests of honor at the attractive tea given by Mrs. Kennon on Saturday last. Mrs. Kennon's always hospitable house was very inviting in its setting of ferns and flowers. Receiving with Mrs. Kennon were Mrs. Tupes, Mrs. Daly and Mrs. Lantry. At the tea table were Mesdames Reichman and Caldwell, who served refreshing ices assisted by Mrs. Meals and Mrs. Glassford. Miss Daly and Mrs. Americus Mitchell presided over the punchbowl. Among those present were Mesdames Howell, Harrison, Bailey, King, Phillipson, White, Mapes, Pridgen, McFee, Andrews, Mason, O'Shea, Baker, Ruttenutter, Jordan, Wells, Ladd, Gose, Lamb Taylor, and the Misses Ellis, Hopkins, Holcomb, Mason, Smith, Carpenter and Mayer.

Mrs. Marr and Mrs. Glassford were

hostesses for Tuesday afternoon, entertaining at auction in honor of Mrs. Joseph Daly, the latest bride of the First Field Artillery. Present were Mesdames Daly, Lantry, Miss Katherine Daly, Mrs. Kennon, Harrison, Bailey, King, Phillipson, Ladd, Hal, Mapes, Pridgen, Hunt, Chitty, Parker, Nalle, McAfee, Mason, Willyoung, Singer, Dodds, Short, Reichman, Baker, O'Shea, McCleave, Luts, Jordan, Deems, Beard, Martin, Lamb, Ward, Higgins, Misses Hopkins, Ellis, Smith, Short, Carpenter, Mason, Mrs. Nalle, Jones, Potter, Donovan, Cheney, Holcomb, and Mesdames McDonald and Watkins from town. Features of the afternoon were the Japanese fans and place cards whereby each player found her place at the tables. Mrs. Reichman won the first prize, which was a set of Japanese crackle-ware ramekins; Mrs. Baker won the second prize, a Japanese framed print; the third was also a print which was won by Mrs. Watkins; the last prize was cut for by all the other ladies present and was won by Mrs. Higgins; this was a Damascus brass card tray. An embroidered lunch cloth was presented to Mrs. Daly as a souvenir of the occasion.

Sunday evening, Captain and Mrs. Herschel Tupes were honor guests at the delightful Sunday night supper given by Captain and Mrs. John Thomas. Other guests were Lt. and Mrs. Warren. Saturday Captain and Mrs. King entertained for them at dinner. Tuesday Lt. and Mrs. Campbell gave a dinner complimenting Captain and Mrs. Tupes. Captain and Mrs. C. H. Martin were dinner hosts at the Young Hotel on Monday, giving a farewell dinner for the Tupes.

On Monday evening at the time the 4th regimental dinner was taking place at Haleiwa, the ladies of the regiment were being entertained at dinner by Mrs. Beech in the Post. Baskets of yellow daisies decorated each of the small tables at which the guests were seated. After dinner a number of rubbers of auction were enjoyed, Mrs. Cheney and Mrs. Nalle with high scores winning the prizes, books of recent fiction.

Major and Mrs. Gose were dinner hosts on Saturday evening, entertaining Lieut. and Mrs. Meals, Lieut. and Mrs. Harrison, Captain Willard and Lieut. Wyman. White daisies and ferns composed the graceful centerpiece.

Lieut. and Mrs. Joseph Daly gave a dinner on Monday last for Major and Mrs. Butts, Captain and Mrs. Frankenberg and Lt. Hatte.

Miss Holcomb entertained the Tuesday club this week, Mesdames Chitty, Ellis and Holcomb winning the highest scores.

Sunday Lieut. and Mrs. Marr entertained at dinner for Capt. and Mrs. Frankenberg and Lt. Winton.

Friends of Mrs. Donaldson are glad to know of her rapid improvement since her recent operation.

Lt. and Mrs. Cook, 4th Cavalry, are being congratulated on the birth of a fine boy Sunday the 2nd.

WASHINGTON SOCIETY

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence] WASHINGTON, July 26.—Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of the president, is a guest of Miss Claire Batten of Vassar college at the home of Dr. Loring Batten, at Swiftwater, on the Delaware river, near Pocono, Pa. Miss Wilson went to enjoy automobile and tennis, and yesterday she sent several boxes of mountain flowers to friends in this city. Several dances have been arranged in her honor. She expects to remain several weeks, it is said.

Mrs. Lane, wife of the secretary of the interior, expects to leave early in the coming week for Lake Champlain, N. Y., where her young son and daughter are spending the summer.

Mrs. Daniels, wife of the secretary of the navy, and their young sons have planned to spend next week at Flat Rock, in the North Carolina mountains.

Capt. Takeuchi, naval attache of the Japanese embassy, is leaving today for a tour through the New England states and Canada.

A certain deacon was one of the best of men, but by nature very irascible. A cow was so exceedingly disorderly, as the deacon was attempting to milk her one morning, that the old Adam got the better of him and he vented his exciting feelings in a volley of execrations very undecorous in their character. At this moment the good deacon's pastor appeared unexpectedly on the scene and announced his presence by saying: "Why deacon! Can it be? Are you swearing?" "Well, parson," replied the deacon: "I didn't think of any one being near by, but the truth is, I never shall enjoy religion as long as I keep this cow."

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